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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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FOR: A Method for Avoiding Excessive Overhead while using a Form of SSA (Static Single Assignment) Extended
to Use Storage Locations other than Local Variables

Enclosed are the following:

- Specification: 14 pages; Claims: 1; Abstract: 1 page
- Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Sheet(s) of drawings 13 pages
- An assignment of the invention to: NEC Corporation
- A certified copy of Japanese application No. 2000-119594 filed April 20, 2000
- Information Disclosure Statement

Priority is hereby claimed under 35 USC 119 by way of Japanese patent application No. 2000-119594
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| BASIC FEE: | | \$355.00 | \$710.00 |
| TOTAL CLAIMS: | 2 - 20 = | x 9 = \$ | x 18 = \$ |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS: | 1 - 3 = | x 40 = \$ | x 80 = \$ |
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